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# Modeling Large Accelerator Structures with the Parallel Field Solver Tau3P

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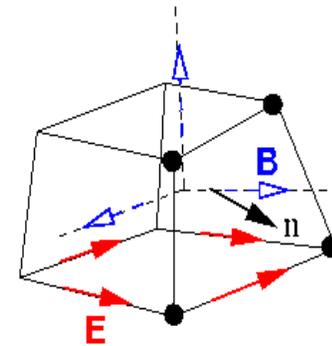
# Introduction

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- 3D time domain code used to calculate transmission properties of open structures & wakefields
- Uses unstructured grids to conform to geometry
- Uses the **discrete surface integrals\*** method

$$\oint E \cdot ds = -\iint \frac{\partial B}{\partial t} \cdot dA$$

$$\oint H \cdot ds^* = \iint \frac{\partial D}{\partial t} \cdot dA^* + \iint j \cdot dA^*$$



- Calculates E on primary grid, H on dual grid
- Parallel application using domain decomposition and MPI

\*N.K. Madsen. Journal of Computational Physics, **119**, 34-45 (1995).

# Tau3P Implementation

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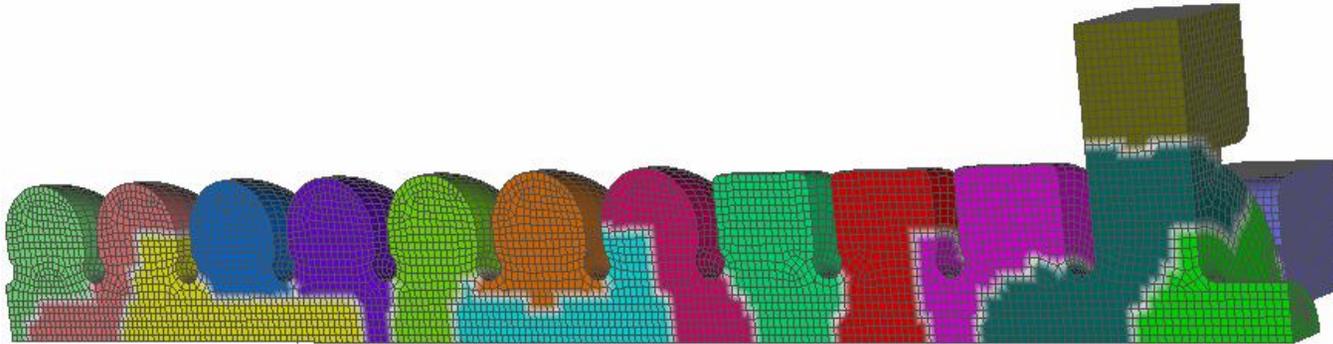
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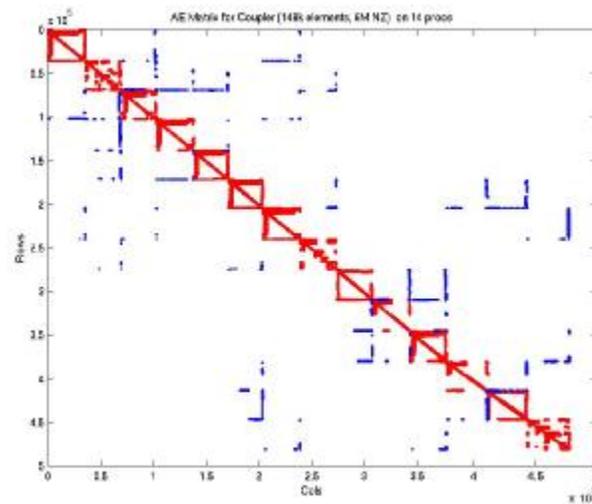
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# Tau3P Implementation (cont.)

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Example of Distributed Mesh



Typical Distributed Matrix

# Tau3P Excitations

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- Handles following excitations with appropriate boundary conditions:

## Waveguide excitation

Calculate transmission properties of traveling wave structures

## Dipole excitation

Study transient response of structures driven by electric dipoles

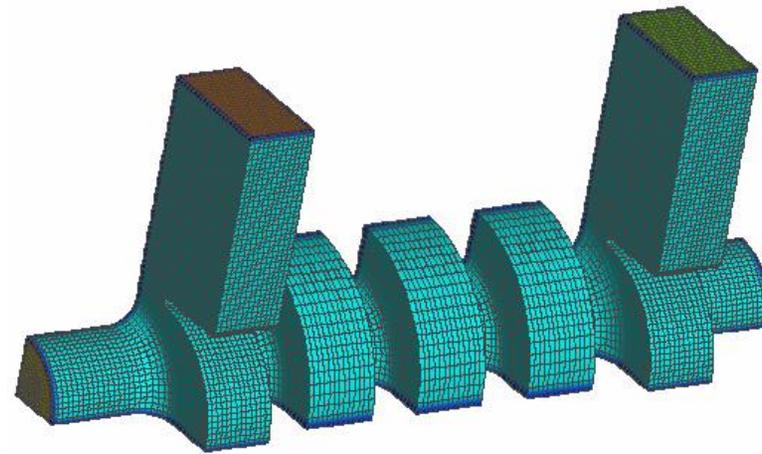
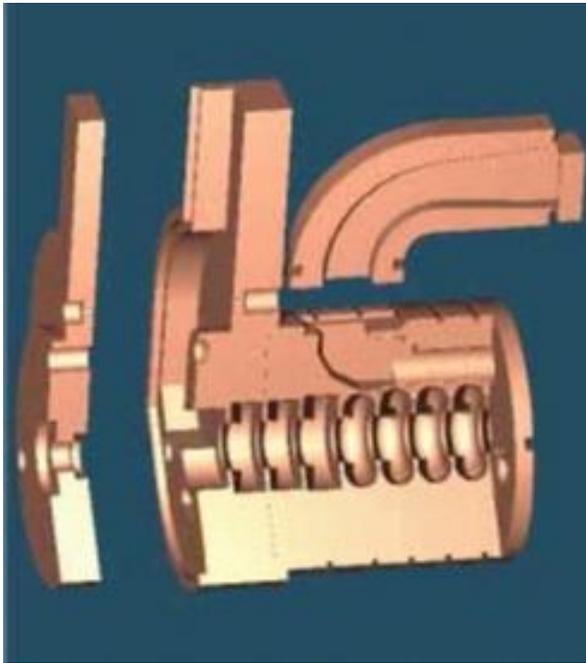
## Beam excitation

Calculate wakefields driven by a rigid beam

# Waveguide Excitation

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## NLC RDDS Input Coupler

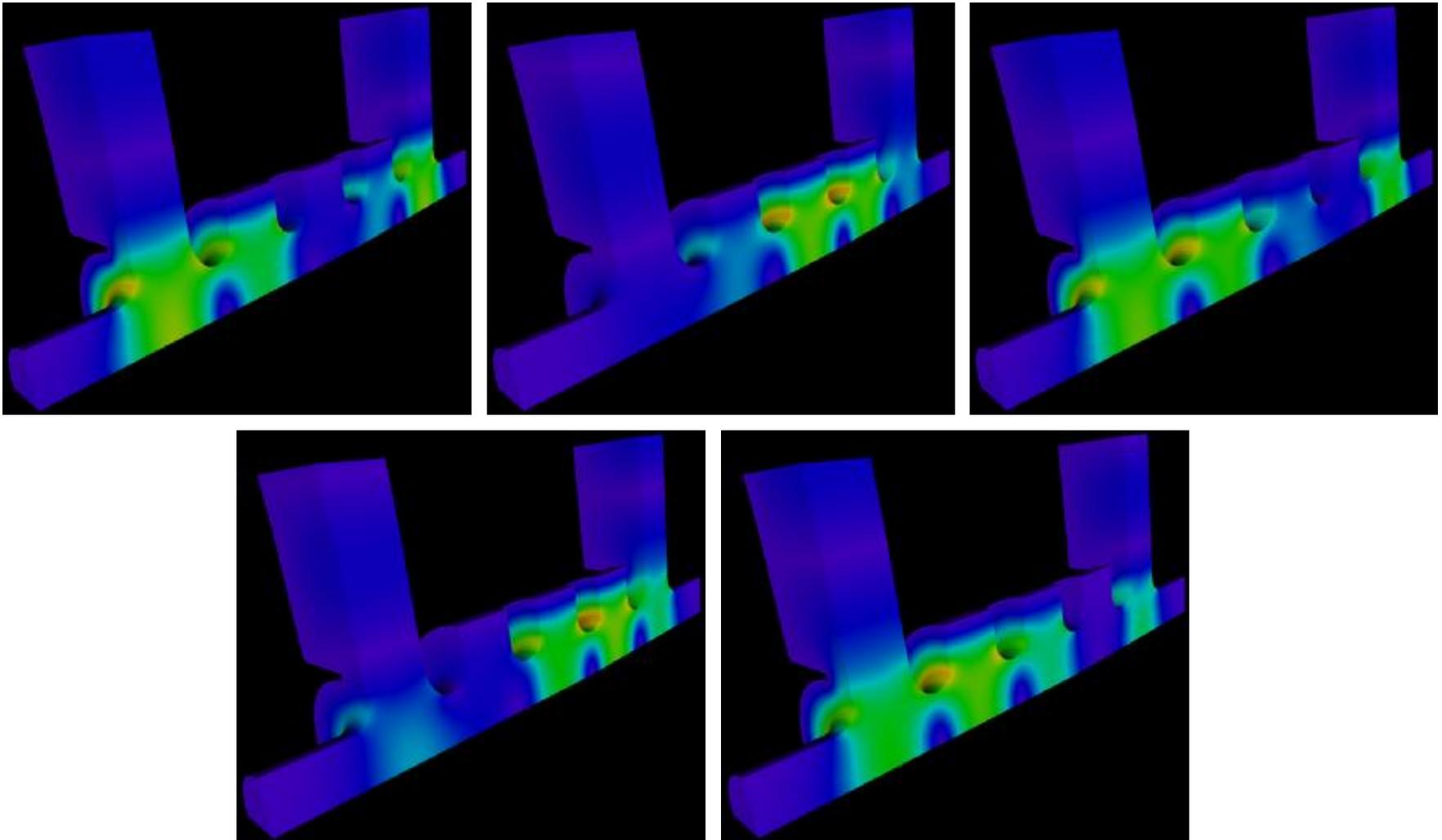


## Fundamental Mode Coupler

- Tau3P matching calculations  
provide accurate cavity  
dimensions for fabrication by  
using realistic geometry model

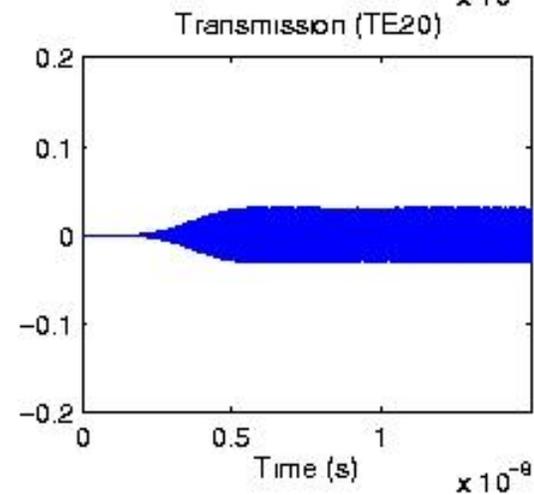
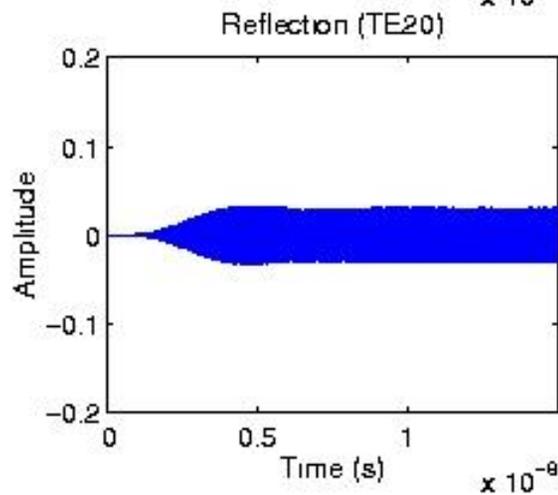
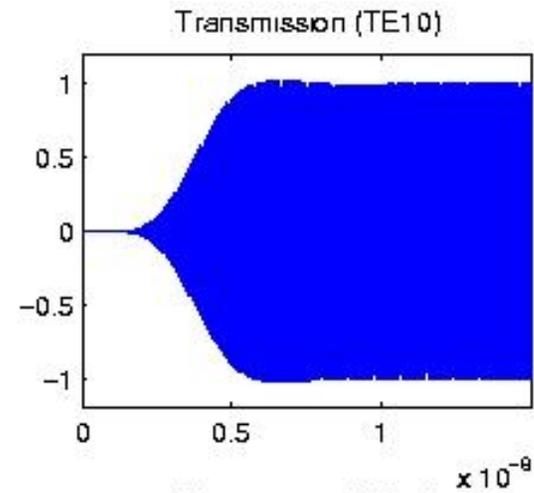
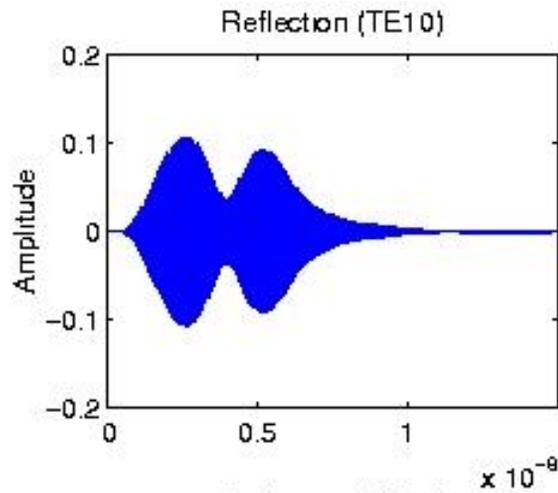
# Snapshots of Traveling Wave

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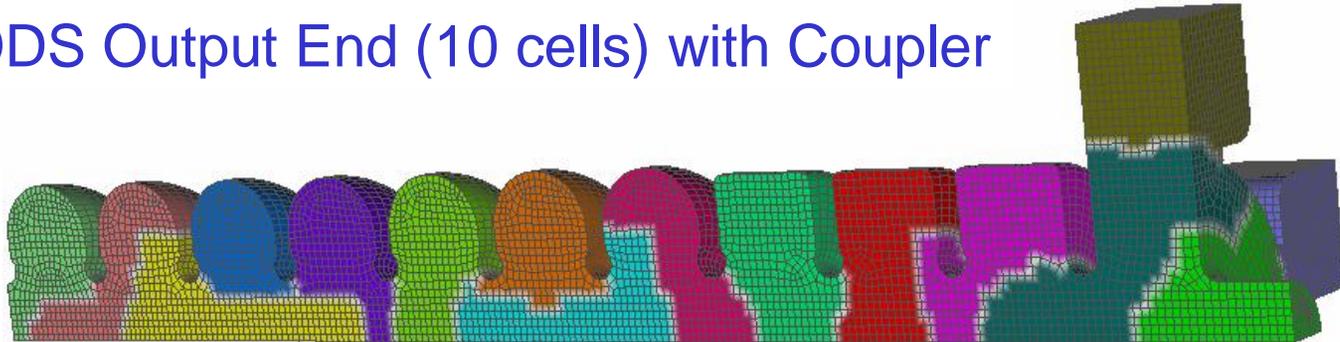
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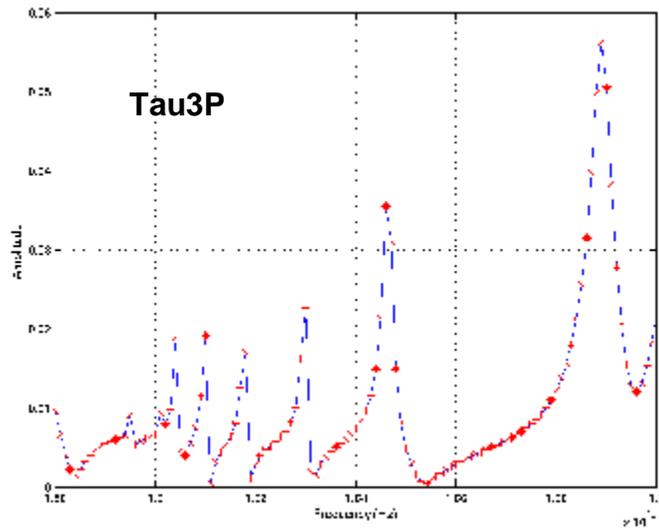


# Dipole Field Excitation

RDDS Output End (10 cells) with Coupler



## Dipole Mode Spectrum



Measurement

Tau3P

16.868

16.89

16.440

16.46

16.280

16.30

16.176

16.18

16.098

16.10

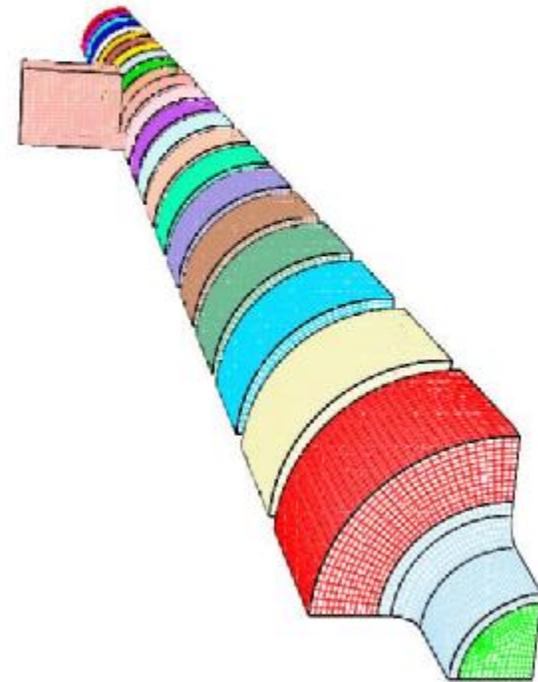
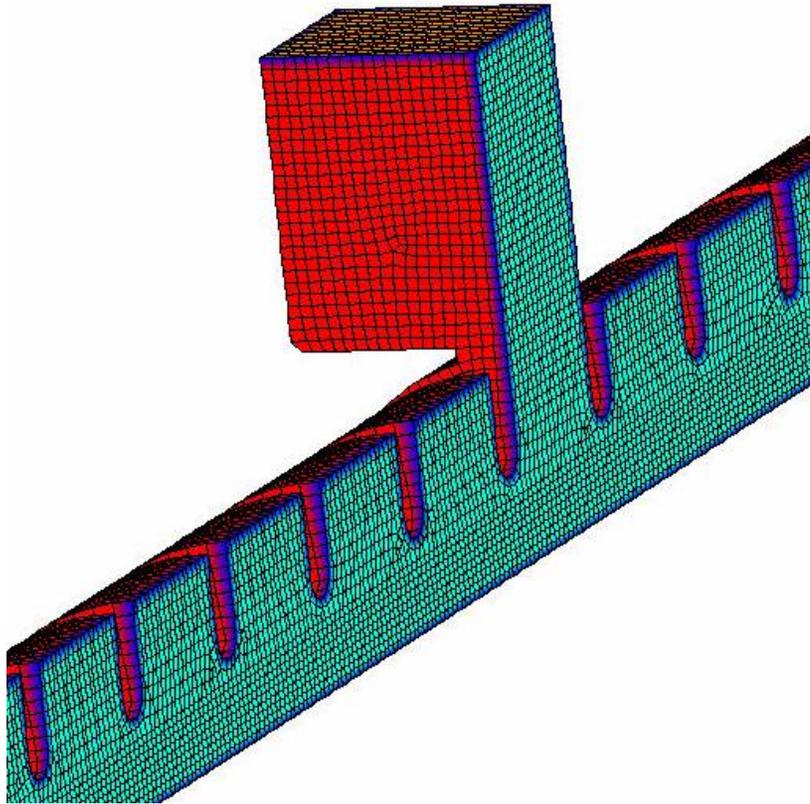
16.034

16.04

# Beam Excitation

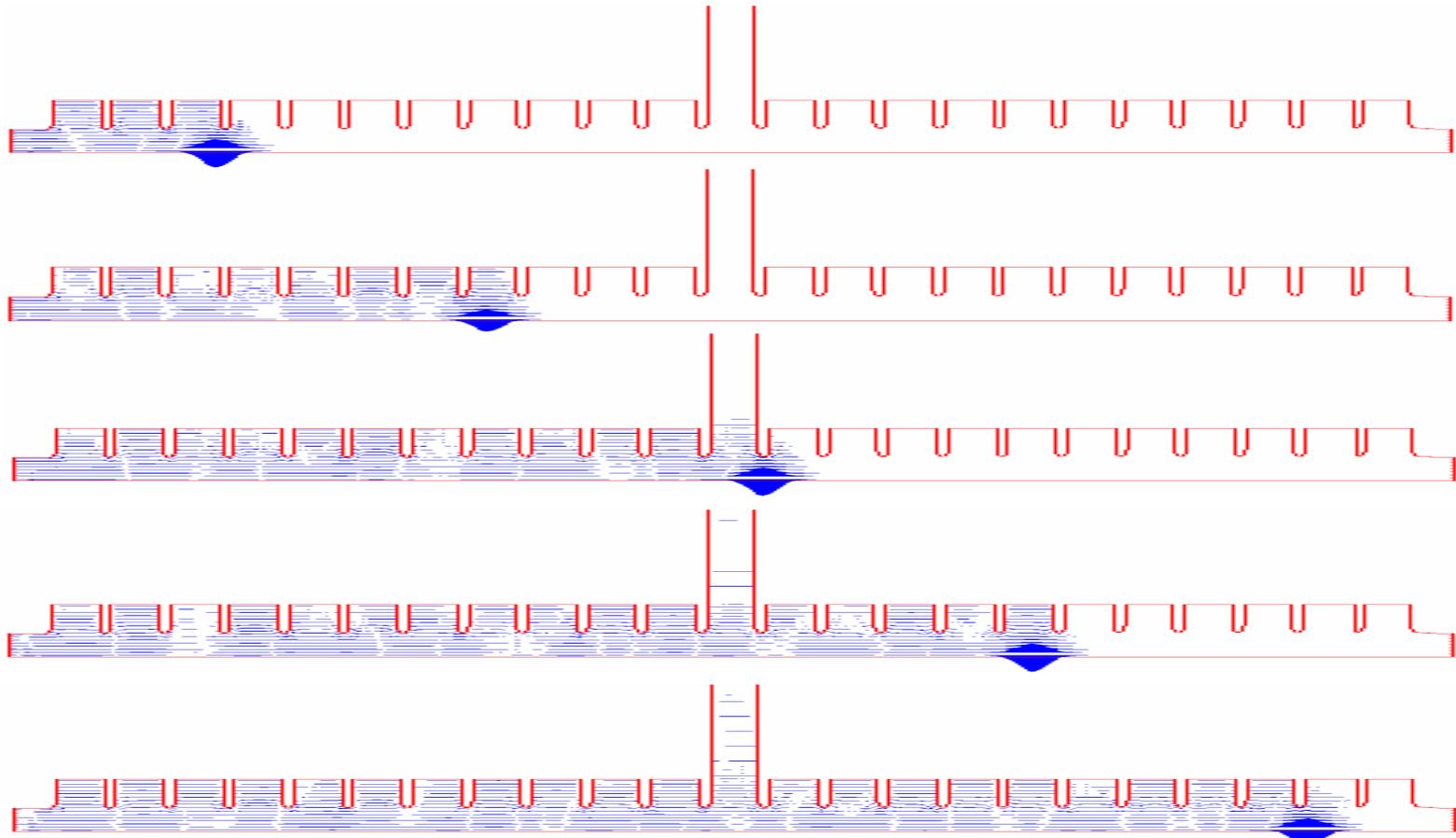
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## Standing Wave Detuned Structure

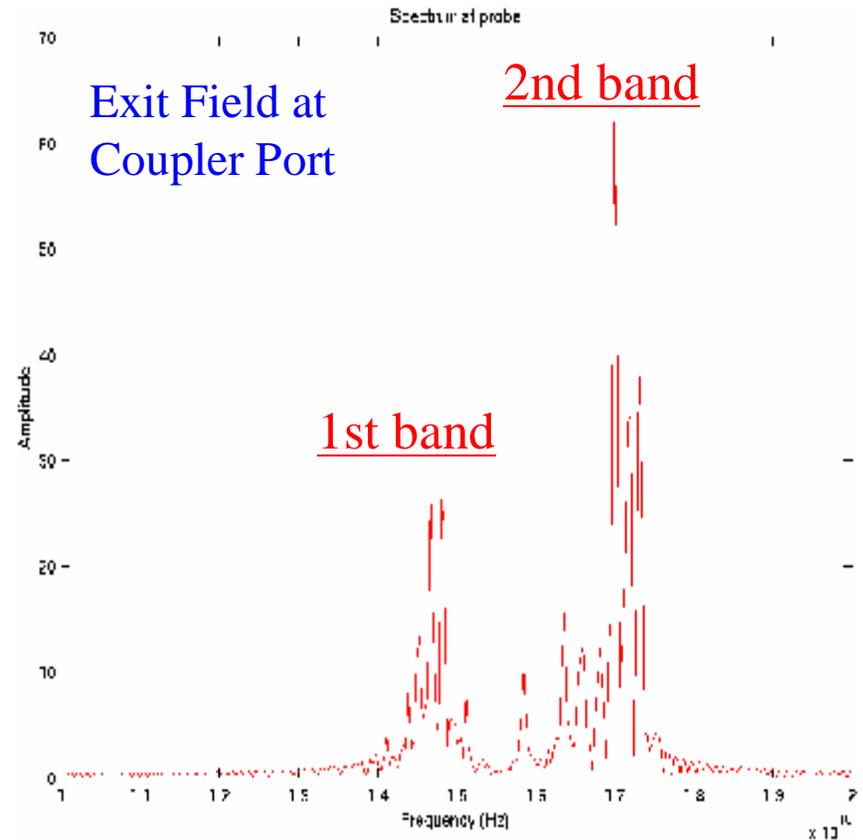
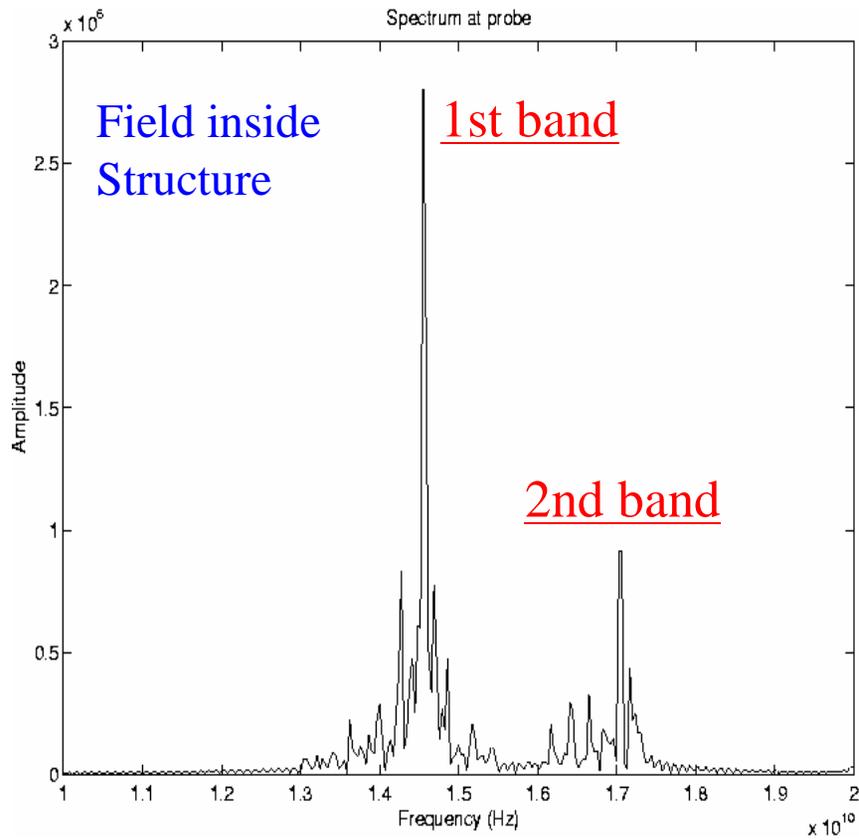


# Beam Transit through SW Structure

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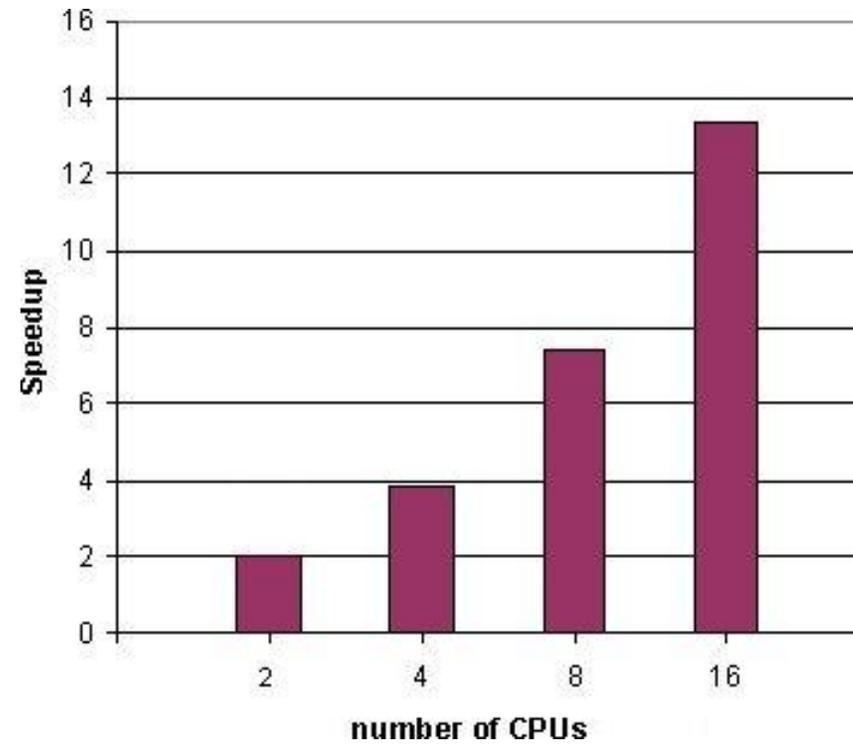


# Beam Excited Dipole Mode Spectrum

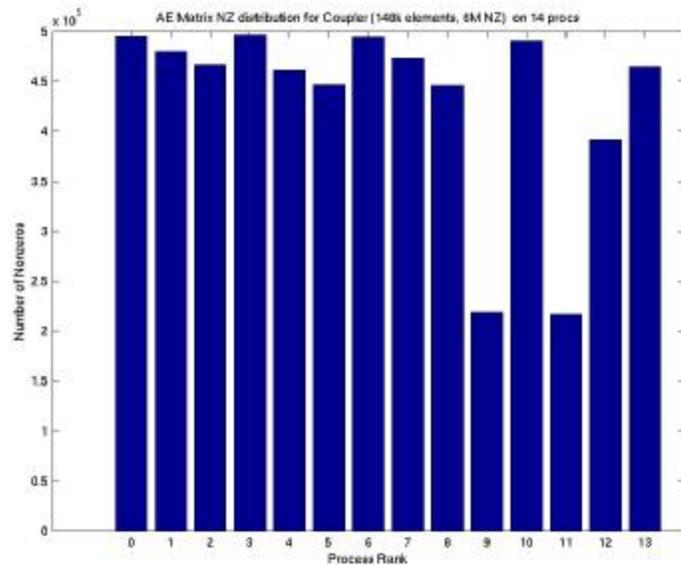


# Parallel Performance

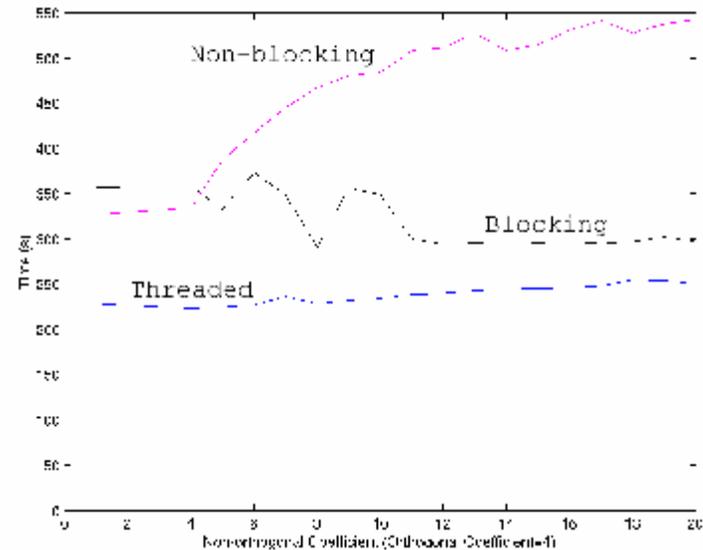
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# Load Balancing



Distribution of non-zeros



Communication Schemes

*Parallel speedup depends on:*

- Repartition of mesh using weightings in ParMetis
- Communication schemes between processors – blocking, non-blocking and threading

# Work in Progress

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- *Dielectric and lossy materials*  
need to modify the matrices for advancing the fields
- *Mesh Quality*  
time stability for complex structures depends on the quality of the primary and dual meshes
- *Load Balancing*  
involves optimization between mesh partitioning and communication schemes